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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

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NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 18th day of March, 1880, an assessment (No. 1) of One Dollar per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in lawful money of the United States, to the Secretary, at the office of the Company, 300 Pine Street, Room 8, San Francisco, California. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 15th day of April, 1880, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction; and unless paid by the 15th day of May, 1880, the delinquent stockholder will be liable for the cost of advertisement, together with costs of sale. By order of the Board of Directors: F. E. LUTY, Secretary. Office—No. 25 Main Street, Room 8, San Francisco, California. mh1-4f

MISCELLANEOUS.

Survey of the Town-Site of Bodie.

BRIDGEPORT, CAL.,
March 16, 1880.
WHEREAS, THE CONTRACT FOR THE survey of the town-site of the town of Bodie, Mono County, California, having been awarded to Leo A. Bowdler, he being the lowest bidder therefor; Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given that the survey of said town-site in the manner as provided for in Paragraph 15, 861 of the Statutes and Codes of the State of California, will commence on Monday, the 22nd day of March, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, and will continue from day to day, Sundays excepted, until said survey shall be fully completed. Of the survey, and of the commencement thereof, property owners and all others interested in said town-site, will take notice.

R. M. BRIGGS, Superior Judge Mono County, Cal. mh1-4f

Notice of Intention to become a Sole Trader.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION of Valeria Powell to become a sole trader. NOTICE is hereby given that I, Valeria Powell, wife of S. W. Powell, a resident of the town of Bodie, County of Mono, State of California, being desirous of withdrawing from the partnership of "The XII. East III," of the Code of Civil Procedure, intend to make application to the Superior Court of the County of Mono, State of California, at the April Term, A. D. 1880, of said Court, to be held at the Court-room of said Court, in the town of Bodie, on the 18th day of April, 1880, at the opening of the Court on that day, or on any other day to which the hearing may be postponed, by the Court, for a judgment and order of said Superior Court, authorizing me to carry on and transact business in my own name, and on my own account as a sole trader. The nature of the business I propose to carry on and conduct is that of buying and selling. Dated March 24, 1880. mh2-4f

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Knights of Pythias.
Meetings of the Association will be held every Wednesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at the Engine House. All brothers are invited to attend.
H. W. RUSSELL, Secretary. mh1-4f

Disolution of Co-Partnership.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Partnership heretofore existing between F. H. HARRIS and E. L. HARRIS, under the firm name of "HARRIS & HARRIS," in the butchering business, at the Standard Market, corner of Lewis and Mills streets, in the town of Bodie, County of Mono, California, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. All indebtedness and all claims hereto are authorized to collect and receipt for all moneys due said firm. All parties having claims against the above firm are requested to present them before the 15th day of April, 1880. The business will be continued as heretofore by F. H. HARRIS, who solicits the continuance of the patronage of the public. Dated Bodie, March 31, 1880. mh1-4f

F. H. HARRIS, F. L. DARRIS.

THE SCHOOL OF SORROW.

I sat in the school of sorrow:
The Master was teaching there;
But my eyes were dim with weeping,
And my heart oppressed with care.

Instead of looking upward,
And seeing His face divine,
So full of tender compassion,
For weary hearts like mine.

I only thought of the burden—
The cross that bore me lay,
The clouds that hung thick above me,
Dark'ning the light of day.

So I could not learn my lesson,
And say, "Thy will be done."
And the Master came not near me
As the lesson hours went on.

At last, in despair I lifted
My straining eyes above,
And I saw the Master waiting
With a look of pitying love.

To the cross before me He pointed,
And I thought I heard Him say,
"My child, thou must take thy burden,
And learn thy lesson today."

Not now may I tell the reason:
Thou shalt know for thee to know
That I, the Master, am teaching,
And appoint thee all thy woes.

Then kneeling, the cross I lifted,
For one glimpse of that face divine
Hath given me strength to bear it,
And I say, "Thy will, not mine."

And so I have my lesson,
And through the weary years
His helping hand sustained me,
And wiped away my tears.

And ever the glorious sunlight
From the heavenly home streamed down,
Where the school tasks are all ended,
And the cross is exalted for the crown.

The Little American Hen.

While there is very little respect paid to the hen as a factor, there is a very general respect paid to eggs as a crop.

Eggs are not only the sure crop that a farmer can rely on, but it is the only product of the farm that has held its own amid all the fluctuations of trade. Bonds may go down or up; gold may rise or fall on the standard; cotton may decline, or corn go up, but eggs stick. Eleven years ago (in 1868) a dozen eggs would only buy a yard of calico; now it buys three. It would buy two and a half pounds of flour; now it buys five. It would buy one pound of bacon; now it buys three. And so on through the whole chapter. While everything else has dropped eggs have stood to their old high-water mark. It gold gives out, a grateful nation may yet make eggs the standard of value.

There is no more delightful wholesome food on the farm than can be found in eggs. The secret of the enormous prosperity of the French people is that they have a proper respect for the hen, and her subsequence—egg. They live on these small things and grow rich by selling their crop. And now for some general figures on eggs to show what America is doing.

The traffic in eggs in this country is estimated by competent authorities to equal \$150,000,000 per annum. New York in a year receives 530,900 barrels of eggs valued at \$9,000,000. In 1871 there was exported from this country, 52,023,205 dozen eggs, valued at \$598,851. It is claimed that Philadelphia consumes daily 80,000 dozen eggs. The approximate receipts of eggs in Boston for the year 1878 have been as follows: 107,627 cases, containing 49 dozen each; 43,000 boxes, containing 70 dozen each; and 17,783 barrels, containing 70 dozen each. These figures give a result of 153,410 packages containing 6,515,625 dozen eggs, or 78,181,514 single eggs. But look at this! The total crop is say 4,000,000 cases. At \$40 per case this would be 160,000,000 for the whole American crop—or just about what the egg crop is. Ah! gentlemen, lift your hats while the little American hen passes.

COOKING VEGETABLES.—Why should vegetables be washed in rather warm water first, then in cold, to cleanse them from sand and insects? The hot water which must be hotter than tepid, cause the insects and sand to fall at once. Insects do not always dislike cold water and salt, but the hot water kills them. It must be understood that only a small handful of greens or one head of cabbage at a time must be washed, and then instantly thrown into the cold water, which crisps and thoroughly cleanses them. Spinach, leeks, celery and sea-kale, are thus rendered very clean, and, moreover, are very rapidly cleaned. It is worse than useless to attempt to cleanse vegetables in salt and water. The hardness which salt creates in the water prevents all cleansing properties. The salt may kill the insects (it does not always do this), but they stick on hard and fast; the hot water makes them fall out at once, and the cold water crisps and also blanches them.

A Clergyman recently left Liverpool in ocean steamer, and beginning to feel uncomfortable after leaving the mouth of the river, sought the captain to learn if there was any danger. The captain, in response, led the clergyman to the fore-castle and told him to listen to what was going on. The clergyman was shocked to hear the sailors swearing vigorously, and expressed his horror to the captain. The captain merely remarked, "Do you think these men would swear in such a manner if there was any real danger?" Whereupon the parson seemed satisfied and retired. A day or two after, during a severe storm, the captain saw the clergyman proceeding with difficulty to the fore-castle, and on his return overheard him exclaim, "Thank heaven, they're swearing yet."

When a cat is seen to catch chickens, it once round her neck and make her wear it for two or three days. Fasten it securely, for she will make incredible efforts to get rid of it. Be firm, for that time, and the cat is cured; she will never again desire to touch a bird.

The London police have recently discovered a firm of cripple manufacturers, where children of tender years are taken in, and their limbs are distorted in various ways, the better to excite the pity of the charitable.

We often sigh for opportunities of doing good, while we neglect the openings of Providence in little things, that would frequently lead to the accomplishment of most important usefulness.

State's evidence—A wretch who is pardoned for being baser than his comrades.
Jury—Twelve prisoners in a box, to try one more at the bar.

A Brakeman's Dream.

"Ed" is a brakeman employed on the Chicago, Alton and St. Louis Railroad. He was married only a few weeks ago. His wife has been wearing a piece of red flannel around her neck for the last ten days and complaining of a very neck. This is how it came to pass:

"Ed" had just been doing extra duty, taking a sick friend's train in addition to his own, and so has not been in bed for forty-eight hours. As a matter of course, he was nearly worn out, and as soon as his supper had been eaten he went to bed to sleep—perchance to dream. He was soon locked in the arms of Morpheus and "Mory," and dreaming. Again his feet were on his native platform, and he heard the warning toot of the whistle for brakes. The shadowy train bore him swiftly on the telegraph poles, flashed past quicker and quicker; the whole country fled by like a panorama mounted on sheet-lightning rollers. In his dream he heard far off another roar, and, swinging out by the railings he saw another train coming at lightning speed around the curve. Both trains were crowded with passengers; in another moment they would rush together, and from the ruins a cry of agonized wail shiver to the twinkling stars, from the lips of the maimed and dying. The engineer had seen their danger, for at that moment, in his dream, he heard the whistle calling for brakes sound loud and unearthly. With the strength of desperation he gripped the brake and turned it down. There was a yell of pain, and "Ed" awoke to find himself sitting up in bed and holding his wife by the ears, having almost twisted off her head.

That's how "Ed's" wife came to wear a piece of red flannel round her throat and complain of a very neck.

CHANGES IN N. Y. SOCIETY.—Society is continually changing, and a number of formerly brilliant Fifth Avenue families are now shadowed by death. A few years ago A. T. Stewart and his wife were frequently seen in social gatherings, but their stately mansion is now covered with gloom. Ex-Governor Morgan was also at one time a society man, but the death of his son and also that of the widow of the latter (who only survived her husband six months) have thrown the whole family into seclusion. The Ex-Governor's grandson has just been married, but this was only carrying out an engagement, and the ceremony was strictly private. The groom on this occasion is very young, but being surrounded with wealth, he certainly has a good start in life. Another family which has been thrown into seclusion is that of Robert L. Stewart, who mourns the recent death of his brother Alexander. On the other hand, Charles O'Connor, who for three months was at the point of death, reappears in social circles, and though now eighty-three, shows great enjoyment on such occasions. William H. Vanderbilt has not given as many dinners this year as he did last, and it is supposed he will keep retired until his completion of his palace. Whenever this occurs a series of grand entertainments may be expected. The opening of such a grand establishment will be a marked event in the social world. N. Y. Cor. Rochester Democrat.

WE FARE.—We clip the following beautiful and truthful extract from an Englishman: "As the trials of life thicken, and the dreams of other days fade, one by one in the deep vista of disappointed hope, the heart grows weary of the struggle, and we begin to note our insignificance. Those who have climbed to the pinnacle of fame, and revel in luxury and wealth go to the grave with the poor mendicant who begs by the wayside, and like him are soon forgotten. Generation after generation, says the eloquent writer, have folk as we feel, and their fellows are as active in life as we are now. They passed away as a vapor, while nature wore the same aspect of beauty as when the Creator commanded her to be. And so shall it be when we are gone. The heavens will be as bright over our grave as they are now around our path; the world will have the same attraction for offspring yet unborn that she had once for ourselves, and that she has now for our children."

It is inelegant to ask your sweetheart if she is "hot." It is much prettier to say, "Euphonious, darling, does the excessive closeness of the atmosphere cause a perspirative affection to overcome the angelic physicalness?"—Such being the case, the fair one must not say, "You hot, old hussy," but she may gasp a little gasp, and softly dilate: "Alphonso, dearest, your solicitude for my comfort has led you to define the exact nature of my present situation." After this the blamed folk may do as they please. We can't be giving advice all the time.

By friendship you mean the greatest love, the greatest usefulness, and the most open communication and the noblest self-sacrifice, and the severest truth, and the heartiest counsel, and the greatest union of minds of which brave men and women are capable.

A Judge of Mileston extraction, charged a jury as follows: "Gentlemen of the jury, you must find that the defendant is guilty beyond a doubt. A reasonable doubt is such a doubt as will convince a reasonable man that the defendant is not guilty."

An old man's advice to young men is, don't love two girls at once. Love is a good thing, but it is like butter in warm weather—it won't do to have too much on hand at once.

Indianapolis boasts of a contractor who can neither read, write, nor figure, and yet can accurately estimate the number of bricks for a wall of given dimensions and the cost of construction.

A gentleman meeting a friend who was wasting away with consumption, exclaimed, "Ah, my dear fellow, how slow you walk!" "Yes," replied the consumptive, "I walk slow, but I'm going fast."

No man can tell just exactly what calico has made up her mind to do. Calico don't know herself. Dry goods of all kinds is the child of circumstances.

Four things are grievously empty: a head without brains, a wit without judgment, a heart without honesty, and a purse without money.

Marriage is a safe way to gamble; if you win, you win a pile, and if you lose, you don't lose anything.

You can lead an old toper to the water but you can't make him drink.

